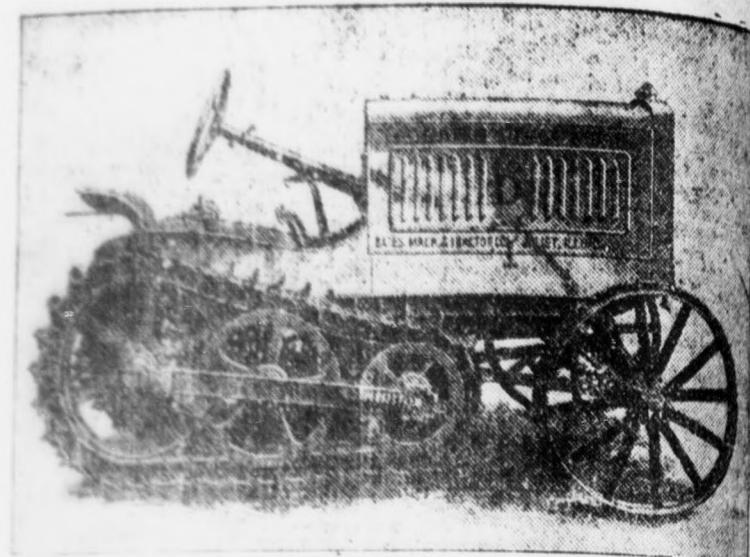


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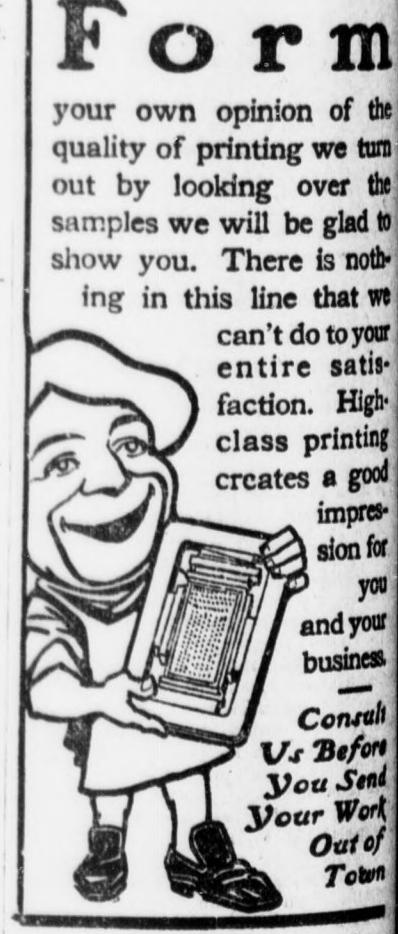
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Last Carranza Stronghold on Texas-Mexican Border.

Brownsville, Tex.—Matamoras, the last remaining stronghold of the Carranza government along the Texas-Mexican border, was surrendered to the revolutionists' forces Friday morning, following a series of conferences between Gen. E. Reyes, revolutionary representative, and Gen. Rafael Coloma, Carranza's commander at Matamoras.

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New York.—An ambition to die poor because "it is a disgrace for a man to die rich," was expressed by Nathan Straus, 72-year-old retailing magnate and philanthropist.

"It is criminal to die rich with those who are poor and suffering," he added. "The man who dies with the world's riches has failed in the greatest thing in life—his duty to the world."

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Mr. and Mrs. Straus will sail for Palestine next month to aid in the restoration work there.

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Secretary Charges That The Admiral Withdrew Destroyer Escort From First Convoy As Soon As It Arrived Abroad.

Washington.—Charges that a cablegram produced before the Senate War Investigating Committee during the hearing of Rear Admiral Sims gave a forged signature were made by Mr. Daniels. He referred to a message from Admiral Sims that he had sent as part of his instructions to the Navy Department and which purported to have been signed by the Secretary.

Mr. Daniels, himself, was guilty of giving my name to an official dispatch which the original, he charged, shows I never signed," Mr. Daniels told the committee, "or of sending a dispatch by erasing the original signature and substituting 'Dan' for 'Sims'."

The concluding paragraph of the telegram read:

"In regard to convoys I consider American vessels having armed guards a safe water sailing index."

Mr. Daniels testified that immediately upon reading the Admiral's testimony he knew he never sent such a telegram and he started his investigation to determine the source of the date which has not been fixed.

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